

Match Report
2018 South Central Regional Championships
October 5-6-7
Jim Fields, Match Director
OKC Gun Club

Anyone missing this one missed some great shooting, great times with special friends as well as some great food & great shooting conditions with little wind two out of the three days, a little humid with light rain on Saturday & Sunday morning but not bad overall. We had heavy rain all around us, so we lucked out big time.

We had a total of 178 entries for this match, a little better than last year.

We had shooters from Kansas, Missouri, Colorado, Texas, Minnesota as well as Oklahoma & all had a great time shooting steel, telling tales of times gone by & making excuses for missing targets.

We had a total of forty-six perfect scores shot in this match & that's a bunch, & I believe a new OKC club record for a regional 60 round match which relates to calm winds most of the match, so everyone had a great time in the shoot-offs.

Those shooting perfect scores in this match were Woody Liddell (6), Jim Fields (1), Scott Thompson (4), John Blue (5) Steve Martens (4) Link Smith (3) Gary Crews (2) Terry Batts (1) Richard Redd (2) Jim Myers (2) Tim Colgan (3) Teresa Coleman (1) Dave Stone (3) Jackie Brown (1) John Anderson (3) Charles Harbert (3) John Blue shot a perfect 5-Gun scope aggregate score, congrats John, great shooting. Terry Batts won the Iron Man award with an eight gun total of 375x480. Link Smith won FP-PAS with a fantastic score of 55x60 & Dave Strydom from Kansas. won the Bordello shoot-out with a score of 25x60.

On Thursday, prior to our IHMSA match, we hosted an AR-15 Steel Plate Challenge match which everyone enjoyed & the winners were as follows: SHORT COURSE - 100 to 300 meters - after a shoot-off - Glen Blanton with a 20x20+5 in the rifle category & also a 20x20 in the AR Pistol Category. RAPID FIRE – Mike Duffey 20x20 That's engaging targets at 300 meters, 200 meters, 150 meters & 100 meters in around 30 seconds!! WOW!! Our LONG RANGE winner, 200 meters, 300 meters, 385 meters & 500 meters, was Don Klien from Missouri with a perfect 20x20. Woody Liddell won the iron-sight category & set a new record with a 20x20 on the SHORT COURSE. Great shooting guys.

We had a fair amount of door prizes we gave away. I think everyone in attendance won at least one prize.

Our big raffle was for a Ultra-Dot red dot sight, was won by Scott Thompson.

I want to thank some of the companies who donated prizes or gift certificates for this match, Sierra Bullets, Midway USA, Starline Brass, Redding Reloading equipment, Graph & Sons & Burris Optics

Keep this in mind & mark your calendar, the 2019 IHMSA World Championships will be held here at the Oklahoma City Gun Club July 12th thru the 20th, so start making plans to attend that one for sure.

Again, our target setters did an excellent job of keeping the match moving smoothly despite the rain & the office personnel & line crew did an excellent job, you guys are greatly appreciated. Also would like to thank Joe & Teresa Coleman for all their hard work feeding everyone each day.

We appreciate all our region IV shooters who travelled from out-of-state to attend this great match.

Thanks also to Steve Martens our IHMSA president we enjoy you Steve a lot & thanks for coming down & shooting with us. That's a long trip from Minnesota.

It was good to have Buddy Rhoads come up from Texas again & winning the shoot-off in BB Revolver against another Texan, Link Smith.

See all the match results accompanying this article.

That about sums it up for now, shoot straight, shoot safe, & the good lord willing, I'll see you at the next match.



2018 Regional AR Steel Plate winners are Glen Blanton, Mike Duffy & Don Klein

**2018 South Central Regional Category Champion Winners
(October 5th, 6th & 7th) -- Jim Fields - Match Director**

BIG BORE (60 Rounds)	NAME	SCORE
UAS Champion	Gary Crews	60x60+6
Unlimited Champion	Woody Liddell	60x60+6
Unlimited Standing (US) Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
UASHS Champion	Scott Thompson	60x60+3
Unlimited Half-Scale (UHS) Champion	Gary Crews	58x60
Production Champion	Scott Thompson	60x60
Revolver Champion	Buddy Rhodes	55x60+3
Standing Champion	Scott Thompson	36x60
Aggregate Standing Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
Aggregate Half-Scale Champion	Gary Crews	117x120
5-Gun Agg. Scope Champion (Inc. AIR Entry)	John Blue	240x240
4-Gun Champion	Steve Martens	219x240
3-Gun Champion	Scott Thompson	156x180
High Lady BB Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Junior UAS Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Junior Half-Scale Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Senior BB Champion	Scott Thompson	
SMALLBORE (60 Rounds)		
UAS Champion	Link Smith	60x60+9
1/5 Scale Champion (UASFS)	Tim Colgan	60x60+8
1/5 Scale Open Champion (UFS)	Gary Crews	55x60
Aggregate 1/5 Scale Champion	Steve Martens	114x120
Unlimited Champion	Woody Liddell	60x60+8
Unlimited Standing (US) Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
Production Champion	Steve Martens	60x60
Revolver Champion	John Anderson	59x60
Standing Champion	Steve Martens	42x60
Aggregate Standing Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
4-Gun Champion	Steve Martens	219x240
3-Gun Champion	John Anderson	154x180
High Lady Champion	Teresa Coleman	
High Junior UAS Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Junior 1/5 Scale UASFS Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Junior SB Unlimited Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
5 Gun SB Aggregate Champ (UASFS-UFS-UAS-U-PH)	Roy Focht	260x300
High Junior Small-bore Production Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Senior Small-bore Champion	Woody Liddell	60X60+8
AIR PISTOL (40 Rounds)		
UAS Champion	Steve Martens	40x40+5
Unlimited Champion	Steve Martens	39x40
Production Champion	Steve Martens	39x40
US Standing Champion	John Blue	26x40
USIS Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
Standing Champion	Steve Martens	34x40
High Junior UAS Champion	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX
High Senior Champion	Jim Fields	40x40+3
High Lady Champion	Teresa Coleman	17x40
PRACTICAL HUNTER (60 Rounds)		
Practical Hunter .22LR Course	Charles Harbert	60x60+7
Practical Hunter Champion-Long Course	Rick Redd	60x60
Practical Hunter Champion-Short-Course	Teresa Coleman	59x60
ULTRA-500 METER (40 Rounds)		
500 Meter Champion - Scope-40 Rounds	Steve Martens	35x40
500 Meter Champion - Iron Sight-40 Rounds	Steve Martens	25x40
500 Meter Aggregate Champion	Steve Martens	60x80
FIELD PISTOL (60 Rounds)		
PAS FP Champion	Link Smith	55x60
Production FP Champion	John Anderson	34x60
Aggregate FP Champion	Bill Kraft	45x120
Iron Man Champion	Terry Batts	373x480
Bordello Champion	Dave Strydom	25x60